



**THE ELEVENTH UNIVERSITY OF EASTERN FINLAND - UNEP COURSE  
ON MULTILATERAL ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENTS**

**THEME – ENVIRONMENTAL SECURITY**

University of Eastern Finland, Joensuu campus

20 – 30 October 2014

**Agenda (as at 19 October 2014)**

<i>MONDAY</i>	<i>20 October 2014</i>
9.30-10.00 a.m.  Auditorium AU100, UEF Joensuu campus, Aurora building, 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor (Yliopistokatu 2)	Registration of participants
<b>Session 1</b> 10.00-10.30 a.m.	Opening remarks  - Address by Prof. <b>Perttu Vartiainen</b> , the Rector of the University of Eastern Finland - Address by Ms. <b>Elizabeth Mrema</b> , Director, Division of Environmental Law and Conventions, (DELC), UNEP
10.30 a.m.	<i>Course 2014 – Group Photo</i>
10.30 – 11.00 a.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>Session 2</b> 11.00 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.	Keynote address: Understanding the theme environmental security by Ms. <b>Elizabeth Mrema</b> , UNEP
12.30 – 2.00 p.m.	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
<b>Session 3</b> 2.00 p.m. – 3.30 p.m.  <b>Room AU202</b> , UEF Joensuu campus, Aurora building, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor (Yliopistokatu 2)	Introduction to the course by Mr. <b>Tuomas Kuokkanen</b> , Part-time Professor of International Environmental Law, UEF  Introduction of the course resource persons  Preparatory task
3.30 – 4.00. p.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
4.00 – 6.00 p.m.	Preparatory task continues
6.15. p.m.	Reception/dinner hosted by UEF and UNEP at Restaurant Aura

<i>TUESDAY</i>	<i>21 October 2014</i>
<b>Session 4</b> 9.00 – 10.30 am  Room AU202, UEF Joensuu campus, Aurora building, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor (Yliopistokatu 2)	International Environmental Diplomacy and Negotiations by Ms. <b>Sylvia Bankobeza</b> , Legal Officer, UNEP and Ms. <b>Elizabeth Mrema</b> , UNEP
10.30 – 11.00 a.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>Session 5</b> 11.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m.	Theme: Biological diversity and security  Biodiversity and environmental security by Dr. <b>Elisa Morgera</b> , Senior Lecturer, School of Law, University of Edinburgh
<b>Session 6</b> 12.00 p.m. – 1.00 p.m.	Biodiversity Convention and intellectual property by Prof. <b>Katja Lindroos</b> , Professor of Commercial Law, UEF.
1.00 p.m. – 2.30 p.m.	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
<b>Session 7</b> 2.30 – 3.30 p.m.	Marine biodiversity and environmental security; Introduction to the negotiation workshop on 23 October by Prof. <b>Ed Couzens</b> , University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa
3.30 – 4.00 p.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>Session 8</b> 4.00 – 5.30 p.m.	Illegal wildlife trade and national/regional security: Recent challenges and opportunities in tackling wildlife crime by Ms. <b>Haruko Okusu</b> , Capacity Building Coordinator, CITES Secretariat
<i>WEDNESDAY</i>	<i>22 October 2014</i>
<b>Session 9</b> 9.00 – 10.30 a.m.  Room AU202, UEF Joensuu campus, Aurora building, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor (Yliopistokatu 2)	Theme: Post-conflict situations  History and operations of the Post-Conflict and Disaster Management Branch (UNEP/PCDMB) by Mr. <b>Henrik Slotte</b> , Chief of the Post-Conflict Branch and Disaster Management Branch, UNEP
10.30 – 11.00 a.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>Session 10</b> 11.00 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.	Environmental Cooperation for Peacebuilding: Case studies from the Sahel, and the border zone between Haiti and the Dominican Republic by Mr. <b>Dennis Hamro-Drotz</b> , Commercial Director, Alleco Oy, Finland, (former Programme Officer, UNEP)
12.30 – 2.00 p.m.	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
<b>Session 11</b> 2.00 – 3.30 p.m.	Drafting exercise led by Ms. <b>Sylvia Bankobeza</b> and Ms. <b>Haruko Okusu</b>
3.30 – 4.00 p.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>Session 12</b> 4.00 – 5.30 p.m.	Food security and international litigation: The recent judgment of the International Court of Justice in the case of <i>Whaling in the Antarctic</i> (Australia v Japan, New Zealand intervening), 31 March 2014; Further introduction to the negotiation workshop on 23 October by Prof. <b>Ed Couzens</b>
Approx. 6.00 p.m.	Reception hosted by the City of Joensuu, at the City Hall Joensuu

<i>THURSDAY</i>	<i>23 October 2014</i>
<b>Session 13</b> 9.00- 10.30 a.m.  Room AU202, UEF Joensuu campus, Aurora building, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor (Yliopistokatu 2)	Negotiation workshop led by Prof. <b>Ed Couzens</b> with Ms. <b>Haruko Okusu</b>
10.30 – 11.00 a.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
11.00 – 12.30 p.m.	<i>Negotiation workshop (cont.)</i>
12.30 p.m. – 2.00 p.m.	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
2.00 – 3.30 p.m.	<i>Negotiation workshop (cont.)</i>
3.30 – 4.00 p.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
4.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Debriefing of the negotiation workshop
<b>Session 14</b> <i>approx. 5.00- 6.00 p.m.</i>	Preliminary introduction to the negotiation workshop on 28-29 October by Mr. <b>Tuomas Kuokkanen</b>
<i>FRIDAY</i>	<i>24 October 2014</i>
8.00 a.m.	Departure from Hotel GreenStar to excursion in Kuopio
<b>Session 15</b> 9.30 – 10.30 a.m.	Arrival to UEF Kuopio Campus and coffee break
<b>Session 16</b> 10.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m. Room SN300, UEF Kuopio Campus, Snellmania building, 3 <sup>rd</sup> floor Yliopistonranta 1 E	Theme: Climate change and security  Climate Change as environmental security issue by Dr. <b>Antto Vihma</b> , Senior Research Fellow, Finnish Institute for Foreign Affairs  Progress towards the 2 <sup>o</sup> climate target under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change by <b>Kati Kulovesi</b> , Professor of International Law, espec. International Environmental Law, UEF
12.30 – 2.15 p.m. Puijo Tower, Puijontie 135	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b> <b>Puijo Tower</b>  Voluntary visit to the UEF greenhouse gas measurement site at the Puijo Tower during lunch break
<b>Session 17</b> 2.15 – 2.45 p.m.  Puijon Maja, Puijontie 135	Theme: climate change continues  Introduction to the work of the UEF aerosol group by <b>Kari Lehtinen</b> , Professor of Aerosol Physics, UEF
2.45-3.00 p.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>

<b>Session 18</b> 3.00-4.30 p.m.	Theme: climate change continues  Anthropocene and environmental security by Prof. <b>Louis Kotze</b> , North West University, South Africa
5.00 p.m. onwards	Arrival to Spa Hotel Rauhalampi, Kuopio
5:30-8.00 p.m.	<b>Evening at the Jätäkämäppä Lumberjack Lodge</b> (600m from the Hotel Rauhalampi)  Opportunity to bathe at the world's largest smoke sauna in groups. Women first. Snacks + sauna drink served during sauna.
8.00 p.m.	Dinner at Jätäkämäppä
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>25 October 2014</b>
10.00 a.m.	Departure from Hotel Rauhalampi
<b>Session 19</b> 10.15 a.m. – 11.30 p.m.	Visit to Kuopio Crisis Management Centre, a centre of expertise in civilian crisis management. Presentation by Mr. <b>Kuisma Kinnunen</b> , Training Assistant, CMC Finland.
Approximately at 13.00 p.m. – 15.00 p.m.	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b> <b>at the Outokumpu Mining Museum</b>
Approximately at 16.00 p.m.	Arrival in Joensuu  Free evening
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>26 October 2014</b>
	<b>Free day!</b>

## WEEK 2

<i>MONDAY</i>	<i>27 October 2014</i>
<b>Session 20</b> 9.00 – 10.30 a.m.  Room <b>Käpy</b> , Finnish Forest Research Institute (Metla) 1 <sup>st</sup> floor (Yliopistokatu 6) Next to the University campus, Joensuu	Theme: Water security, organized jointly with the Finnish Academy research project on water security  UNECE Water Convention by Ms. <b>Annikka Lipponen</b> , Environmental Affairs Officer, UNECE Secretariat
10.30– 11.00 a.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>Session 21</b> 11.00. – 12.30 12.30 – 2.00 p.m.	Water as human right by Prof. <b>Louis Kotze</b> and Dr. <b>Antti Belinskij</b> , UEF
	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
<b>Session 22</b> 2.00 – 3.30 p.m. 3.30 – 4.00 p.m.	Transboundary waters – Finland and South Africa by Prof. <b>Ed Couzens</b> and Dr. <b>Tuula Honkonen</b>
	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>Session 23</b> 4.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Panel discussion moderated by Prof. <b>Tuomas Kuokkanen</b> : Water agreements and their relationship with water security  Ms. <b>Annikka Lipponen</b> , Prof. <b>Louis Kotze</b> , Assoc. Prof. <b>Ed Couzens</b> , Dr. <b>Antti Belinskij</b> and Dr. <b>Tuula Honkonen</b>
<b>Session 24</b> 5.00 – 5.45 p.m.	Introduction to the negotiation workshop to be held on 28–29 October by Mr. <b>Cam Carruthers</b> , Director, Program Integrity (Compliance), Temporary Foreign Worker Program, Employment and Social Development Canada; former Legal Officer / Compliance Program Officer (Enforcement), United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change Secretariat.
<i>TUESDAY</i>	<i>28 October 2014</i>
<b>Session 25</b> 9.00 – 10.30 a.m.  Room AU202, UEF Joensuu campus, Aurora building, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor (Yliopistokatu 2)	Negotiation Workshop on Water Security led by Mr. <b>Cam Carruthers</b> with Dr. <b>Tuula Honkonen</b> , Mr. <b>Tuomas Kuokkanen</b> and <b>Ed Couzens</b>
10.30 – 11.00 a.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
11.00 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.	<i>Negotiation workshop (cont.)</i>
12.30 – 2.00 p.m.	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
2.00 – 3.30 p.m.	<i>Negotiation workshop (cont.)</i>
3.30 – 4.00 p.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
4.00 – 5.30 p.m.	<i>Negotiation workshop (cont.)</i>

<i>WEDNESDAY</i>	<i>29 October 2014</i>
9.00 -10.30 a.m. Room AU202, UEF Joensuu campus, Aurora building, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor (Yliopistokatu 2)	<i>Negotiation workshop (cont.)</i>
10.30 – 11.00 a.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
11.00 – 12.30 p.m.	<i>Negotiation workshop (cont.)</i>
12.30 – 2.00 p.m.	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
2.00 – 3.30 p.m.	<i>Negotiation workshop (cont.)</i>
3.30 – 4.00 p.m.	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>
4.00 – 5.30 p.m.	<i>Negotiation workshop (tbc) (cont.)</i>
	<b>Evening get-together at Utran Uittotupa</b>
5.45 p.m.	Departure from the university to Utran Uittotupa
6.15 – 8.30 p.m.	Opportunity for sauna & swim <i>Little snack &amp; sauna drink are provided at the sauna</i>
8.30 – 10.00 p.m.	Dinner at the Utran Uittotupa
10.00 p.m.	Departure to Joensuu
<i>THURSDAY</i>	<i>30 October 2014</i>
9.00-9.30. a.m.  Room: <i>Temple of Challenge,</i> <b>Tiedepuisto,</b> 3A-building, 4 <sup>th</sup> floor (Länsikatu 15)	<b>TEA/COFFEE SERVED</b>
<b>Session 26</b> 9.30 – 11.30 a.m.  Room: <i>Temple of Challenge</i>	Summing-up and evaluation of the course led by Mr. <b>Tuomas Kuokkanen</b> , UEF  - Discussion on the strengths and weaknesses of the Course - ways to improve the next course and training needs not addressed during the Course - Collection of evaluation forms
11.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.	Awarding of certificates by Prof. <b>Harri Siiskonen</b> , Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences and Business Studies
12.30 p.m. Restaurant Puisto <b>Tiedepuisto,</b> 3A-building 1 <sup>st</sup> floor (Länsikatu 15)	<b>FAREWELL LUNCH</b>